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SUBJ: OFFICIAL AFGHAN REACTION TO SHERPAO ASSASSINATION

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1. THERE FOLLOWS TEXT OF "KABUL TIMES" ACCOUNT OF AFGHAN RESPONSE TO SHERPAO ASSASSINATION AND EVENTS FOLLOWING IN PAKISTAN. ACCOUNT IS HEADLINED "PAK GOVT. ACTION CREATES CONCERN IN AFGHANISTAN" AND LEAD SENTENCE IS "THE INFORMATION DEPARTMENT OF THE MINISTRY OF FOREIGN AFFAIRS SAID YESTERDAY THAT THE GOVERNMENT OF THE REPUBLIC OF AFGHANISTAN HAS ISSUED THE FOLLOWING STATEMENT:"

2. QTE: THE GOVERNMENT OF PAKISTAN HAS DISSOLVED THE NATIONAL AWAMI PARTY IN THAT COUNTRY, ARRESTED THE PRESIDENT OF THE PARTY KHUK ABDUGWALI KHAN ALONG WITH SOME OTHER PARTY LEADERS, AND CONFISCATED THE ASSETS OF THE PARTY.

3. QTE: THE GOVERNMENT OF PAKISTAN HAS RESORTED TO THESE ACTION FOLLOWING THE ASSASSINATION OF XLS HAYAT MOHAMMAD KHAN SHERPAU.

4. QTE: THE GOVERNMENT OF AFGHANISTAN WHILE STRONGLY UNCLASSIFIED

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CONDEMNING SUCH ASSASSINATION AND VIOLENCE EXPRESSES

HER DEEP CONCERN AND ANXIETY OVER THE MEASURES ADOPTED BY THE GOVERNMENT OF PAKISTAN REGARDING THE DISSOLUTION OF THE NATIONAL AWAMI PARTY, THE ARREST OF THE PARTY'S LEADERS, AND THE CONFISCATION OF ITS ASSETS WHICH HAS TAKEN PLACE FOR POLITICAL CONSIDERATIONS ILLEGALLY, AND WITHOUT PROVING ANY OFFENSE.

5. QTE: THE GOVERNMENT OF AFGHANISTAN FIRMLY BELIEVES THAT FINDING SOLUTION THE THE PROBLEMS IS ONLY POSSIBLE BY REALISATION, AND RESPECTING OF THE NATIONAL ASPIRATIONS OF THE PASHTUN AND BALUCH PEOPLES, AND THROUGH TALKS WITH THEIR NATIONAL LEADERS, AND THAT DELIBERATE CREATION OF NEW PROBLEMS LEAD TO NOTHING BUT FURTHER AGGRAVATION OF THE SITUATION AND PROCRASTINATION OF THE SEARCH FOR A SOLUTION. UNQUOTE.
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